INDIANAPOLIS, SATURDAY MORNING, MARCH 8, 1890.

MINOR MATTERS.

Argument in Favor of Eight Hours' Work a

Day for Postal Clerks.

WASHINGTON, March 7 .- Ex-Representa-

tive T. J. Campbell, of New York, appeared

before the House postoffice committee to

advocate the passage of pending bills to

limit the work of postal clerks to eight

hours daily at full salary, and to grant

them fifteen days' leave annually. Mr.

unteer and a friend of the postal clerks in

general, and of those in New York in par-

Mr. Wilson, a former employe in the New

York postoffice, next addressed the com-

mittee. He said he had resigned his place

because of overwork. In answer to further

questions by the chairman Mr. Wilson said that the civil-service law had made the service much more desirable in his estima-tion; it had secured their tenure of office,

and had releived them from political taxa-

Representative Quinn of New York, him

self a mechanic, as he stated, said that he

had always held that eight hours was long

enough for any man, working as the postal

The committee next resumed the consid

eration of postal telegraphy, and was addressed by Ralph Beaumont, chairman of

the legislative committee of the Knights of

Labor. He favored the bill of Mr. Wade of

issouri, in preference to the one formu-

lated by Postmaster-general Wanamaker.

Land Forfeiture Bill in the Senate.

WASHINGTON, March 7.—The Senate com-

mittee on public lands this morning agreed

upon, and Senator Plum subsequently re-

ported, a general land-grant-forfeiture bill.

framed on the same lines as the bill passed

by the Senate during the last Congress.

The bill forfeits to the United States all

the lands opposite and coterminous with that portion of any railroad not now com-

pleted and in operation, for the construc-

fore been granted. It is provided, however, that this shall not be construed as forfeit-

ing any lands heretofore earned by the

construction of any portion of a railroad under any act of Congress making a grant

Minority Report on the Direct-Tax Bill.

Washington, March 7 .- The direct-tax

bill was to-day reported back to the House

from the judiciary committee, accompanied

by a majority report submitted by Mr.

Caswell of Wisconsin, and a minority re-

port by Mr. Oates of Alabama. The ma-

ority report says the views on the bill last

year meet the approval of the majority

and are adopted by them in reporting the

bill back this year. The minority report

says the veto message of ex-President Cleveland is so accurate and lucid in state-

ment, so cogent in reasoning and logical in deduction, that

Senate Confirmations.

Washington, March 7 .- Among the nom-

inations confirmed by the Senate to-day

James Limbird, surveyor of customs at St.

Joseph, Mo.; William R. Estes, of Minnesota,

Receivers of Public Moneys - Sheldon L.

razier, at Duluth, Minn.; J. Walfried, at Tay-

Registers of Land Offices—John W. Lewis, at

he Dalles, Ore.: Perry J. Anson, at Blackfoot,

I. T.; A. L. Morrison, at Santa Fe. N. M.
Postmasters — William Breeding, Edinburg,
Ind.; John H. Reer ick, Lagrange, Ind.; H. H.
Walker, Remington, Ind.

Chicago Will Ask No Appropriation.

WASHINGTON, March 7 .- The Chicago

committee and the House committee on the

world's fair were in consultation all day, to-

day, arranging the details of the fair bill

The Chicago people promised the commit-

tee that Chicago would raise \$10,000,000

with which to erect all the necessary

buildings, and will ask the government to

erect its own buildings and take care of its

own display. A telegram promising support to the committee, signed by numerous

wealthy citizens, was received by the Chi-

Michigan City Harbor.

WASHINGTON, March 7 .- The Light-house

Board has issued a "notice to mariners." in

which it gives the location of four lights.

shown from tubular lanterns on posts,

which are to be maintained by the United

States Engineer Department at the entrance

of the harbor at Michigan City, Lake Mich-

igan, Indiana. According to the present

plans, the new outer breakwater is eventu-

ally to have a total length of 2,000 feet ex-

tending westwardly from its present east

The Civil-Service Inquiry.

tion of Mr. Paul was concluded to-day be-

fore the civil-service committee, and the

witness was discharged. This disposed of

the investigation of the charges against

the commission, and the committee ad-

journed till Monday. It will then decide

upon the course to be followed in its gen-

eral inquiry into the workings of the civil-

Fourth-Class Indiana Postmasters.

WASHINGTON, March 7. - Fourth-class

postmasters were appointed for Indiana to-

day as follows: Chelsea, Jefferson county,

J. F. King, vice A. L. Wood, resigned;

Garfield, Montgomery county, J. Thomas,

vice F. M. Nagle, resigned; Phenix, Wells county, L. J. Cheneworth, vice E. N. Cary, resigned; San Jacinto, Jennings county, S. Burchill, vice W. H. Stanley, resigned.

Ex-Congressman Taulbee's Condition.

ex-Representative Taulbee this evening

shows but little change from that of yes-

terday, and that change seems to be against

General Notes.

ings to-day were \$1,228,900 fours at \$1.23

flat, and \$28,550 four-and-a-halfs at \$1.0312.

All the offers were accepted.

from Liverpool.

bernian, from Glasgow.

officer of customs at New Orleans.

WASHINGTON, March 7 .- The bond offer-

The President sent to the Senate to-day

Secretary Proctor this morning received

the nomination of John F. Patty, naval

a telegram from San Francisco signed "Committee for the Unemployed." asking for aid and food from the War Department.

Inasmuch as the "committee" gave no

names and no evidences of being author-

ized to make such a request, the Secretary decided not to consider the appeal.

The President has approved the act fix-ing the time for holding terms of the dis-trict and circuit courts at Texarkana, Ark.

Movements of Steamers

NEW YORK, March 7 .- Arrived: Celtic,

PHILADELPHIA, March 7.-Arrived: Hi-

QUEENSTOWN, March 7.—Arrived: City of Chester and Adriatic, from New York,

WASHINGTON, March 7 .- The condition of

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

service system.

Washington, March 7 .- The examina-

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

or's Falls, Minn.; Frank Lesnet, at Roswell, N.

expressing their views on the bill.

were the following:

consul at Kingston, Jamaica.

of public lands.

tion upon their salaries.

clerks do, to labor in one day.

Campbell said that he appeared as a vol-

the charge of sedition.

ticular.

Blightly warmer, fair weathen

# Losing His Chance Mr. Featherstone Treated with Great Discourtesy by Bourbon Congressmen.

He had an auburn-haired girl and promised to take her out sleighing. She met him at the door when he drove up, and he exclaimed: "Hello!-ready?" She misunderstood him, and they don't speak now.

Well, to call an auburn-haired girl "reddy" might

be considered personal.

Those overcoats that we have will go with any-colored hair or complexion, since we keep several varieties. They are alike in one thing only-

They all go for that-if you come in time. They will be taken off sale soon. Don't lose your chance.

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French, English and Domestic Satines. Novelties in "Scheurer-Rott" and "Mulhouse" Hand-block Satines. 38 and 42-inch Wool Serges. Mohairs, Alpacas, Brilliantines, Sicilians, "Tamise," "Glace." 24, 27 and 42-inch Beiges. LOWEST PRICES ALWAYS A CERTAINTY.

and everything in Surgical Instruments and Appliances. WM. H. ARMSTRONG &

HAD PILLOWS ON HIS HANDS.

"Parson" Davies Tells Why Peter Jackson Did

Not Knock Out Wrestler Gus Lambert.

CLEVELAND, O., March 7 .- Peter Jackson

the colored pugilist, arrived here this morn-

ing, accompanied by Jack Ashton, Sam

Fitzpatrick and "Parson" Davies. Jackson

denied the truth of the report that he came

near being knocked out by Gus Lambert,

at Troy, N. Y., the other night. "Do you

know who Lambert is?" asked "Parson'

Davies, who acts as Jackson's spokesman

"Why, he's a professional wrestler, and

weighs 240 pounds. He had trained two

weeks, because I had offered \$100 to any

man in Troy who would stand up before

Jackson for four rounds. Lambert wanted

the money, and he got it. He did not stand

up, but he was not knocked out. In the

first place he would not agree to any-

body but a Troy saloon-keeper for

referee, and after we let him have his own

hands? Why, you might stand up before Jackson or Sullivan, or any one else, for a dozen rounds with such gloves on. There would be no possibility of knocking a man out with such things. When time was called Lambert rushed right in and grabbed

Peter around the waist and tried to throw

him down. Jacksondid not go in for a rough-and-tumble scrap. He obeyed the rules and called for a foul, but Lambert's friend, the referee, refused to allow it, and the

same tactics were repeated over and over again. In fact, all that Lambert did was

to run around the stage trying to keep away from Jackson, and when he failed in that he would duck his head, rush in and catch

Peter around the waist. That was all there

Vicious Nine-Round Fight.

PERU, March 7 .- "Elder" William Pitts

and "Spot" Jordan fought a vicious nine-

round prize-fight, to-night, in one of the

halls of this city. Pitts completely winded

his opponent, and was declared winner.

About two hundred persons were present

The winner received the gate receipts

Pitts is a negro, a native of this place, and

winner of several other fights. His op-

ponent is a French Canadian. Betting was

An Indian Who Can Fight.

ASHLAND, Wis., March 7 .- Alf. Besan, 8

full-blooded Indian, defeated Mike Bran-

non in a bloody six-round prize-fight, this

morning, with hard gloves. Besan is

magnificent specimen of manhood. He stripped at 160 pounds. His long reach and

his ability to take extraordinary punish-

TOO MUCH ELECTRICITY.

Poorly Insulated Electric-Car Wires Cause

Great Unhappiness to Telephone Users.

PITTSBURG, March 7.-For some time past

the residents of this city, from Fifth ave-

nue to Hazelwood, three miles out, have

been amazed and annoyed by the queer

phones. Nobody cared very much when

the mixture only involved a business man,

giving the price of a favorite gas stock,

and being answered by a servant girl to

the effect that it was quite too high for

onions and too low for spring lambs. Affairs

came to a climax to-day, however, when

scores of telephones rang as steadily as

a business man does for central, and when

an innocent person attempted to answer, a ball of electricity would usually prance

around the machine for a moment, then

will result. Insulation will cost the com-

Mr. Lowell's Health Improving.

pany some \$15,000.

freaks of their usually well-behaved tele-

ment like a stoic won him the fight.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

in favor of Pitts.

HOW TO BUY A RAILWAY TICKET. Find the route to your destination, with the least number of changes; the quickest time consistent with safety; the route with the best equipment and road-bed; that has the reputation of caring for the safety and comfort of its passengers. Of all things you should shun in buying a ticket, are the cheap-rate routes—the roads that will sell you a ticket for a little less money if you say nothing about it. You may save fifty cents or a dollar, but you will lose much more than you save in discomforts, in risks of life, in roken connections, loss of time, and everything tha make a railway trip unpleasant. Don't buy of the will scalper. Nine times out of ten he will give you inconvenience and trouble before you arrive at your feurney's end. Where shall I buy! you ask. Go to the nearest Big 4 ticket-office, of course.

TIME CARD. CLEVELAND DIVISION.

Depart-\*4.10 am, 7 am, \*11.10 am, \*3.05 pm, 6.20 pm,

Arrive-\*9.15 am, \*10.30 am, 5.15 pm, 6.25 pm, CHICAGO & CINCINNATI DIVISION-EAST. Depart-\*3.55 am, \*6.45 am, 10.50 am, \*3.10 pm 45 pm, 6.50 pm.

Arrive-10.17 am, \*11:00 am, \$12:10 pm, 4.55 pm \*10.55 pm, \*11.35 pm.
CHICAGO AND CINCINNATI DIVISION—WEST.
Depart—7.10 am, \*11.10 am, 5.10 pm, \*11.45 pm.
Arrive—\*3.30 am, 10.35 am, \*3.00 pm, 6.25 pm. ST. LOUIS AND CAIRO DIVISION.

Depart—\*7.30 am, \*11.05 am, 5.00 pm, \*11.05 pm.

Arrive—\*3.45 am, 10.35 am, \*2.50 pm, \*6.25 pm.

\*Daily. &Sunday only.

## Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton R. R.

## "The Pullman Vestibule Line" way in that, he insisted on having eightounce gloves. Well, what could you expect anybody to do with pillows on his

INDIANAPOLIS and CINCINNATI The month of March, with its raw winds, damp atmosphere and changeable weather, is always a disagreeable one in this northern country. Then, why not go to a land where it is eternal summer! Let us mention a few of the many places where the winter months can be pleasantly spent, Alken, S. C.; Asheville, N. C.; Biloxi, Misa.; Charleston, S. C.; Jacksonville, Fla.; New Orleans, La.; Mobile, Ala.; Old Point Comfort, Va.; Pensacola, Fla.; Pass Christian, Miss.; St. Augustine, Fla.; Thomasville, Ga., besides the numerous points in Florida reached through Jacksonville. With the superior accomodations offered by the C. H. & D. railroad and its connections, any of the above-named places can be reached in a short time, We are only one night out from Indianapolis to Jacksonville. Leave Indianapolis to Jacksonville. roth Indianapolis to Jacksonville. Leave Indianapolis 4 A. M., arrive at Jacksonville following day 2:10 P. M., affording daylight ride on the picturesque Queen & Crescent route. For any further informa-tion call at our city ticket office, corner Illinois street and Kentucky avenue.

Trains arrive and depart from Union Station a

FOR CINCINNATI AND DAYTON. Depart - \*4:05 am | †10:35 am | \*2:43 pm | Arrive - \*1:10 am | †9:30 am | \*11:05 am | FOR TOLEDO, DETROIT AND THE NORTH.

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### The Doctors Have Come TO INDIANAPOLIS.

Drs. MILLER and SMITH, the celebrated Nev York and Philadelphia Specialists, have permanently ocated at 148 NORTH ILLINOIS STREET, with offices at Louisville and Cincinnati, spending fifteen days at each point alternately. These eminent doctors are widely known, and possess, probably, the largest experience in the treatment of chronic diseases of any physicians in the United States to-day, hence the great value of their advice and treatment in all chronic afflictions. Examination and advice free to all who call during first fifteen days. Ladies afflicted with female troubles can save much suffering and unpleasant treatment by calling promptly. Their German Catarry Treatment Dors Not THEIR GERMAN CATARRH TREATMENT DOES NOT FAIL. Satisfaction guaranteed in every case treated OFFICE HOURS-9 a. m. to 8 p. m., daily.

FROM MARRIAGE ALTAR TO DEATH.

Long Courtship Ends in a Sudden Wedding and Immediate Suicide of the Bridegroom.

CLEVELAND, O., March 7 .- John N. Hodgson was a young book-keeper with three houses and lots and a bank account. For seven years he had been engaged to Addie May Bishop. Yesterday afternoon he went to Miss Bishop's home and proposed that the marriage take place at once. The pair visited the probate office, secured a license and then repaired to the residence of Rev. Dr. Sprecher of Euclid-avenue Church, where they were married. They then re- toyed with the phenomena for ho turned to the Bishop residence. Hodgson left the house a few minutes later, and going to his room shot himself in the head and died. The bride did not hear of the suicide until to-day, and when she went after the body learned that Hodgson's relatives were in possession of it. It may be replevined to-morrow by the bride. No one knows why Hodgson took his life.

Tested by Time. For bronchial affections, coughs, etc., Brown's Bronchial Troches have proved their efficacy by a test of many years.

PERSECUTION IN THE HOUSE

Aldrich for a companion and guide. After Mr. Aldrich came in turn Mesers. Allison, Berry, Bate, Allen, Call and Ransom. At 5 o'clock the Senate went into executive session, and the committee adjourned till Monday.

The senatorial witnesses, it is understood, satisfied the committee that they had not transgressed the rules as they understood them, most of them explaining that they construed the rules to permit them to give out the fact of the rejection or confirmation of a nomination. The examination of members of the Senate by the committee will An Independent Democrat Taunted and of a nomination. The examination of members of the Senate by the committee will require two or three days, if all of them are summoned, and until it is completed the matter will not, it is understood, be further discussed by the Senate. The impression prevails that the resolution to imprison the correspondents for contempt will fail; but there is a probability that some of them will be certified to the district attorney of the District of Columbia for prosecution on the charge of sedition. Sneered at for Having Taken the Seat Vacated by Cate, the Arkansas Bulldozer.

The Assassination of John M. Clayton to Be Thoroughly Investigated.

Informal Dinners and Receptions at the White House-Senators Deny Having Revealed Secrets to Newspaper Correspondents.

PERSECUTING A CONGRESSMAN.

Bourbons of the House Exhibit a New an Unusually Mean Characteristic. 1 Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

WASHINGTON, March 7.—It begins to look as though there was more than one bad disposition entertained by the Democrats in the House, and they are not only determined to rule or ruin, but persecute those who do not follow their lead. The Bourbons were greatly incensed at the contestant in the Featherstone vs. Cate contested election case from Arkansas, which was determined this week in favor of the former. Both the contestant and contestee are Democrats, but the contestant is an independent Democrat, having refused to co-operate with the blood-thirsty element of the Bourbon party which led in the assassination of John M. Clayton, who was the contestant of Clifton R. Breckinridge's seat. After Mr. Featherstone was sworn in, the other day, some of the irate Democrats began to sneer at him and show a dis position to persecute at every opportunity. The surroundings become so unpleasant for Mr. Featherstone that he has refused to sit on the Democratic side of the House, where are located the only vacant seats to be found in the hall of the House of Representatives, and he has, during the past day or two, stood round on the Republican side, or occupied lounges or seats temporarily vacant by absent Republicans. This is the only instance of the kind on record. would not have been believed by any one a week ago that such conduct was possible among even the most hostile Democrats. It is likely, however, that the stinging speeches of some of the Republicans wrought up the Bourbons to the pitch in which they find themselves now, and which is venting its spleen upon Mr. Feather-stone. Two or three of the Republicans have offered to trade seats with Mr. Featherstone, among them Mr. Kelley of Kansas, and it is likely that he will be given a seat on the Republican side by a trade. The Democrats will soon have another

opportunity to defend murder and intimi dation in Arkansas. At the meeting of the House committee on elections to-day, the sub-committee, consisting of Chairman Rowell and Messrs. Lacy and Crisp, reported that it had received the evidence in the contested election case of Clayton vs. Breckinridge, with a memorial from the contestant, and a statement from the contestee. They recommended that these be printed for the use of the House, and say that they have proceeded as far as they can without authority from the House, and that, owing to the alleged assassination of Clayton, whereby the contest has been suspended, it is of the highest importance hat the matter be fully investigated. Therefore they reported a resolution providing for the appointment of a sub-committee of five members, to be appointed by the chairman, to make a full and thorough investigation of the contested election case of Clayton vs. Breckinridge. The subcommittee is to be authorized to send for persons and papers, and, if necessary, to go to Arkansas to pursue the inquiry. The resolution was adopted by a unanimous

### WHITE-HOUSE DINNERS.

Informal Affairs Take the Place of Rigid Formality-Mrs. Harrison's Receptions.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. WASHINGTON, March 7.-The President and Mrs. Harrison gave up the usual state dinners on account of the bereavement in the families of the Cabinet, but they are inviting the Senators and their wives and the leading members of the House of Representatives to dine with them in a semi formal way. Two of these dinners, with twenty covers each, were given last week. While the decorations were quite as fine as those of the state dinners the lack of the rigid formality that attend those affairs made them much more enjoyable to their guests. The old statesmen of Washington dread state dinners, for they are such long, stupid and dreary affairs, but these they will enjoy. During the last administration Senator Beck was endeavoring to secure the appointment of a friend to office, and being met by one of his colleagues as he came from the White House, was asked as to his prospects of success. "I'm not going to get the appointment," was the reply. "Mr. Cleveland hasn't given me a thing since he came in, and what is worse, he has just sentenced me to attend a state dinner.'

Mrs. Harrison, having given up her regular public Saturday reception for the same reason that the state dinners were abandoned, is now receiving her friends informally Friday afternoons, from 3 to 6 o'clock. This is to enable her so make the acquaintance of the wives of Senators and Representatives and others in public life, and to gratify the many people who want to see the President's wife. Until this arrangement was made, the President and Mr. Halford were continually beset with applications for appointments with Mrs. Harrison, but now when people ask that privilege they are told to come Friday afternoons. To-day the callers numbered about two hundred, and were received by Mrs. Harrison, Mrs. Russell Harrison and Mrs. McKee in the Red Room.

Mrs. Harrison, Mrs. McKee and her babies. and Mrs. Wanamaker and her daughters leave for Florida next week, but will go quietly, and decline all public or private hospitality. They will have a special car, and Mr. Russell Harrison will doubtless es-

### TRUTHFUL SENATORS.

They Deny Having Revealed to Correspondents the Secrets of Executive Sessions. WASHINGTON, March 7-Senator Dolph called a meeting, this afternoon, of his special committee directed to discover, if possible, the leaks through which the public are informed of the proceedings in executive sessions of the Senate. Having failed to extract any information from the newspaper men who were called as witnesses. the committee this afternoon decided to take the other tack, and, beginning at the explode with shocking results. Experts head of the list, it summoned members of steadily getting the worst of it, when one lucky man imagined he heard the hated ring of a car conductor's punch on a "phone." An investigation ensued, and as a result the Pittsburg Telephone Company has formally notified the Second-avenue electric car line that unless their lines are removed or insulated by Monday, a suit will result. Insulation will cost the comthe Senate to appear before it, and put them through a course of questioning similar to the one applied to the newspaper men. Before the other Senators were summoned, however, the several members of the investigating committee, except Mr. Higgins, who did not get into the room for an hour or so, were sworn, in turn asseverating that they had never disclosed the proceedings of the executive sessions beyond the limitations of the rules. Chairman Dolph himself escorted the first senatorial witness, Mr. Aldrich, Boston, Mass., March 7.—Hon. James first senatorial witness, Mr. Aldrich, bernian, from Grussell Lowell, although still confined to the room while the others went up alone, pursuant to summons by a mestalk with members of his family.

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Diamond Thief Resents Capture by Emptying a Revolver at His Pursuers.

Two Policemen Shot, One Fatally, and Several Other Persons Wounded-Hurried to Jail to Avoid Lynching by an Angry Crowd.

Desperate Fight for Life Between a Chicago Woman and an Escaped Lunatic.

The Maniac Finally Choked Until Helpless-Another Struggle with Officers that Resulted in His Being Taken Prisoner.

#### A THIEF'S DEADLY REVOLVER. Exciting Chase During Which Two Policemen

and Several Other Persons Were Shot. CHICAGO, March 7 .- In a regular "mucka-muck," two police officers-Linville and Briscoe-and E. C. Cole, a citizen, were shot down in the street, to-night, by Patrick Crowe, a young packing-house employe, who had just committed a diamond robbery, during which he assaulted two other persons. Briscoe's injuries are probably fatal. Linville and Cole will recover, but Linville may lose the power of speech, his tongue being cut in two. Crowe, after his dare-devil work, was finally captured, but not without a long, exciting chase after the shooting, and followed by a mob. Crowe recently came here from Omaha. Last night he wound up a protracted spree by drifting into a house on Clarke street. About noon, to-day, he demanded, at the muzzle of a revolver, from Annie Hall, jewels valned at \$1,500, which she had secreted under a pillow. The woman screamed, and Crowe fired the pistol at her, and grabbed the diamonds. The bullet lodged in the fleshy part of her left arm. Crow rushed with his booty toward the street. At the door his progress was barred by a colored woman, whom he knocked senseless with the butt of his revolver.

The fellow got away for the time being and pawned the diamonds, declaring he would return to the pawn-shop in the evening with more. Officer Linville was waiting for him and attempted an arrest at the door, but was instantly shot down. The bullet struck him full in the mouth. It was at the time that factory employes and others in the vicinity were quitting work, and hundreds began a pursuit of the shooter. Officer Briscoe, located several blocks from the scene of the first officer's shooting, attempted, with drawn revolver, to seize the flying man. Crowe promptly put a bullet into Briscoe's breast and kept on. As he was crossing State street Crowe turned and discharged the only remaining chamber of his revolver at the crowd, striking his foremos oursuer, C. E. Cole, in the arm. Crowe at ast was cornered in a blind alley, but kept the crowd at bay with his empty revolver until two detectives stole a march on him, and, knocking him down, had in a moment disarmed and handcuffed him.

At least a thousand persons followed the trio to the station, yelling "Lynch him! lynch him!" but the detectives landed him safely behind the bars. Crowe is supposed to have been crazy from drink. He was packing-house employe in Omaha, and, according to his statements, is of respectable family and connections.

### STRUGGLE WITH A MANIAC.

Woman's Terrible Encounter with an Escaped Lunatic-Fight with a Policeman. CHICAGO, March 7 .- It was a fight for life. The combatants were Mrs. Mary Peterson and a madman, who gives the name of Albert Jenssen, and says he is from Michigan. The affray occurred in Mrs. Peterson's kitchen last evening. Weary from her day's work, Mrs. Peterson sat by the kitchen fire to await the coming of her husband The evening meal was on the table. She had waited perhaps half an hour when the front door opened. Supposing it to be her husband, she got up to greet him. Before she reached the hall door it was thrown violently open, and a strange man with a wild, ferocious glare in his eyes confronted her. For a moment the two stood facing each other, the woman, almost paralyzed from fear, and the madman gloating over his intended victim with glittering eyes. Then he drew a revolver and, leveling it at her head, fired. She sprang to one side, and then, with a bound like a tiger, clutched him by the throat. It was a fight for life, and even the madman with his awful strength could not loosen her grip. In vain did he strike her with his revolver. He tried to bring the muzzle in line with her head that he might blow out her brains, but she hugged him so closely that he could not, and the weapon was again discharged into the wall. She clinched her bands the tighter. eyes began to start from their sockets. His face changed from red to a livid purple and his tongue lolled out as he gasped for breath. The veins of his forehead swelled almost to bursting, but the woman held on Her life depended on her grip. Back and forth across the room they struggled Chairs were overturned, and the table, se for supper, was upset. The madman had ceased to strike her, and all his efforts were to break her grasp on his throat. He began to weaken. At last the blood spurted from his nostrils, and the sight of this was more than the poor woman could stand. She relaxed her hold and fled from the house and to the nearest neighbors, who called the police. As soon as he was freed from Mrs. Peterson's grasp the madman went to the attic

of the house. In a short time the Hinmanstreet patrol wagon arrived, and officer Sirmingham went up to the top o house to bring the maniac down. It was no easy matter. had partially recovered strength from the frightful choking, and was at bay in a dark corner of the attic Fortunately in the struggle the fellow had dropped his revolver. As soon as the officer entered the dimly-lighted room the maniac made a rush for him. Then came another fight. But the officer was fresh and the madman badly winded from the struggle he had had with Mrs. Peterson in the kitchen. As he closed in on the officer the maniac gave a hoarse yell that sounded more like a roar of a wild beast than like a human cry. The officer finally threw the fellow, and he was manacled and taken to the Hinman-street police station. Here he became more quiet. Nothing could be learned from him, however, further than that his name was Albert Jenssen, and that he had escaped from a Michigan insane asylum. After closely examining him he was taken to the Detention Hospital.

### OTHER DEEDS OF VIOLENCE.

A Frenzied Drunkard Holds Another Man's

Head Under Water Until Dead.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., March 7 .- Charles Freeman, who tives at Roseville, and is regarded as a fighter and a worthless character, committed murder at the Twelve-mile House this morning. He was roaming around the house in a drunken frenzy, when he found a man lying in bed, whom he seized and dragged out in front of the house, where there is a trough for watering horses. Into this Freeman ducked the head of his victim, and held him there until he was dead. The murderer then wen

to Roseville, where he was arrested. The dead man was a cook employed on a neigh-

Deadly Duel with Guns. GREENVILLE, Miss., March 7 .- At Maben, Miss., on the Georgia Pacific railroad, a difficulty occurred at Cummings's store, between a Mr. Lynch and William and John Cummings, one armed with a shotgun, the other with a Winchester rifle. They opened fire on Lynch, killing him instantly. The cause of the trouble is unknown. Lynch was fifty years of age, and leaves a

ANTI-LOTTERY MAN'S NOSE PULLED.

Sensational Outcome of a Letter Written by North Dakota's Attorney-General.

large family.

BISMARCK, N. D., March 7 .- In the Legislature, yesterday, Representative Stevens sent to the Clerk's desk, and had read, a private letter of Attorney-general Goodwin which has created a sensation in all quarters. The Attorney-general is not on good terms with the Legislature, having been anathematized by the Senate for giving more advice than they asked for on the lottery investigation, and in response to the next request for legal information with having confined himself so closely to the text as to give no information such as desired. Besides this, he is the known op-

ponent of the entire lottery scheme. The letter accuses the Louisiana lottery people with bribing members of the Legislature, and specifies certain instances where legislators are alleged to have held out for sums as high as \$10,000.

The feeling over the matter was aggravated to-day by a sensational outcome of the publication of the letter. This was a personal encounter, in which Attorney-general Goodwin was a passive party and Representative George Walsh the assailant, and it resulted in the pulling of the Attorney-general's nose by the member from Grand Forks. The cause of the trouble is the fact that in Mr. Goodwin's letter Mr. Walsh is mentioned as one of the men who planned the lottery scheme. To-day, while Goodwin was talking with other gen tlemen in the corridor of the capitol, Walsh approached and asked by what authority his name had been used. His man ner was not threatening, but after a few words had passed between the two he suddealy seized Goodwin by the nose. The latter, freeing himself from his assailant, turned and walked away. Mr. Goodwin veighs 125 pounds, while Walsh is more than twice as large as that. The Attorney general was urged by some of his friends to take legal action against Mr. Walsh, but he refused, saying, "If he has any pride in his action, or can get any satisfaction out of it, he is welcome to it."

NEW YORK HORSE SALE.

#### Another Lot of California Thorough breds Sold at a Good Range of Prices.

NEW YORK, March 7 .- The sale of G. Valensin's trotting horses from his farm Pleasenton, Cal., commenced in the American Institute building this morning. The following are the more important sales:

Muscadin, b. c., Valensin-Flirt, by Buccaneer, to Scott Quinton, Trenton, N. J., for \$1,000; Moss Rosa, b. f., 1889, Sidney-Rose Leaf, by Buccaneer, to M. Murphy, Downngton, Pa., \$1,650; Hattie, br. f., 1889 alensin-Joy, by Buccaneer, to Jacob Rupert, New York, \$3,000; Bon-ton d' Or, ch. f., Sidney-Grey Dale by Hollenbeck's American Boy. jr., to T. Burden, New York, \$2,000; Val ensin, ch. s., 1883, Crown Point-Nettie Lambert, to F. C. Fowler, Moodus, Conn., 3,300; b. c., 1889, Guy Wilkes-Sunny Side, by Arthurton, to William Marks, Philalelphia, \$1,500; Gold Leaf, ch. f., 1885, Sidney-Fern Leaf, by Flaxtail, to J. H. Schults, Parkville, L. I., \$8,000; Saccharine, c., 1888, Director-Sweetness, by Voluneer, to E. J. Travis, Chicago, \$4,500; Navarro, b. c., 1887, Nutmont-Nellie, by Electioneer, to F. C. Fowler, Moodus Conn., \$1,900; Alda H., blk. f., 1886, Director Brownie H., by Priam, to Charles Roberts, New York, \$2,600; Lady Guy, ch. f., 1887, Guy Wilkes-Zephyr, by Nutwood, to J. W. Daly, Parkville, L. I., \$2,600; Sister Gilmer, b. f., 1887, Monroe Chief-Nellie Gilmer, by Norfall, to E. J. Travis, Chicago, \$1,200; Miss Jay Eye See, black f., 1888, Director-Black Mag, by Wilson's Blue Bull, to H. Kirkendall, Helena, Mont., \$1,000; Young Lizzie, b. m., 1885, Inca., dam by Moore's Tom Hal, to E. J. Travis, Chicago, \$1,000; Thistle, bl. s., 1887, Sidney-Fern Leaf, by Flaxtail, to J. H. Shults, Brooklyn, \$4,000.

Axtell and Sunol Will Not Pace. NEW YORK, March 7 .- It seems that the great race proposed between Robert Bonner's filly Sunol and the famous stallion Axtell will not take place after all. In speaking of the matter to a reporter to-day, Mr. Bonner said: "There is no likelihood of its coming off. I met Mr. James, one of the five owners of Axtell, quite recently, and ne told me that the stallion was or his farm at Terre Haute, Ind., and would earn \$40,000 this year, so that he would hardly be in shape for a great test of speed. When I bought Sunol it was with the understanding that should let her remain until next October with Governor Stanford, to give him a chance to lower her record. Consequently he has entire charge of her racing record this year, and I have nothing to do with

### AN OLD LADY'S SINGULAR DEATH.

Bitten by a Pet Dog, She Imagines She Has Hy drophobia and Dies with All Its Symptoms.

NEW YORK, March 7 .- Mrs. Sarah R Pone, mother of the postmaster at Dunellen, N. J., was bitten by a pet dog, in December, and the wound was canterized at the time and afterward healed. Mrs. Pope, who was seventy-eight years suddenly conceived the \* idea that she would die of rabies. was prostrated with nervousness and exhibited all the symptoms of hydrophobia, barking and frothing at the mouth. The pet dog was killed and the old lady grew worse. Although enfeebled by age, she suddenly became possessed of almost superhuman strength, and it required several persons to restrain her whi afflicted with spasms of fear. Nothin could remove from her mind the impression that hydrophobia would result from the bite, and while in one of her hysterical periods, on Tuesday, she gave forth sound similar to the whining of a dog and shortly afterward expired.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., March 7 .- Marriage has averted a duel in Bladen county. Miss Mamie Culberth recently confessed to her father, T. H. Culberth, a pros-

Marriage Prevents a Duel.

perous planter, that she had betrayed by Joseph Eller, her betrothed husband. When Culberth learned this he challenged Eller to a duel The challenge was promptly cepted, and both principals, seconds, went to a wood in Darling ton county, South Carolina. Arrived or the field of honor the young man made a proposition to the angry father to make amends by marrying his daughter. Cul-berth agreed to this, and to-day a happy end to the affair took place in the marriage | leg bruised; W. W. Branch, Charleston W. Va., left arm broken; Charles Barch of the two young people.

Confessed to Stealing Jewelry.

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 7.—Charles Pascott and Jeff Wheeler confessed, yesterday, to their attorney to robbing the house of W. H. Smith, on Oakland avenue, in Kansas W. H. Smith, on Oakland avenue, in Kansas City, Kan., of \$2,000 in diamonds, watches, brooches and other jewelry. They told their attorney that the valuables were hidden in twelve or thirteen different places in Kansas City, Mo., and the officers, with the robbers as their guides, started to reclaim the property. The robbery was committed several months ago, and it was not until vesterday that the case was called an until yesterday that the case was called up in the District Court. Their confession followed their conviction.

DEADLY EXPLOSION OF DUST

Shaving-Room of an Evansville Factory Wrecked and the Debris Burned.

ight in the Ruins, and Three Employ r Burned to Death-One y Feet and Badly Hurt. Man Hurler

Six Persons and Fifteen Injured in the Accident at Bayview, N. Y.

Bride of a Week One of the Victims-Her Hus-

TERRIBLE EXPLOSION.

band's Pitiful Appeal to the Physicians to

Save Her-A Babe's Singular Escape.

Dust-Room of a Factory Wrecked, and Seve eral Persons Killed and Injured. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., March 7 .- Just before 1 o'clock to-day the dust-room of the Armstrong furniture factory was wrecked by an explosion which caused the loss of three lives and probably fatal injury to another, The dust, or shaving-room, is a one-story building immediately adjoining the factory, and into which all the dirt and shavings are forced by a powerful exhaust-fan. The room had been closed for an hour, and it is supposed that the air became dense and heavy, and gas was generated by the fumes of a lantern left there by the boys who were at work carrying the shavings into the furnace room. The dust which is fanned into the receptacle is fine and dry, and almost as explosive as powder. It comes through the chute with great force, and there is always a current, of air and the presence of a light or sparla is always liable to be disastrous.

Suddenly, to the employes of the mill and a few who were passing along, there came a thunder sound and the roof of the dust room was seen to rise to a height of twenty feet and then fall back amid a cloud of dust and smoke. The next moment the front and one of the side walls fell, and flames burst from the ruins. Amid the din was heard one wild piercing shriek of agony, and then eilence. It was known that there were several boys in the building, and efforts were made to reach them, but the flames were resistless, and drove the rescuers back.

The fireman, Charles Shelby, was between the dry-house and dust-room when the explosion occurred, and was blown backward some twenty feet against the building and caught by a falling wall, breaking both legs in two places. By this time the fire department had reached the scene, and were doing heroic work, and soon had the flames subdued. Then the rescuers want at the wreck with a rush, and soon secured

an opening into the building. The first body found was that of Fred Sachs, a white boy. He was terribly burned, and probably alive to the tortures which he had endured. A little further off was found the body of Willie Cheatham, aged fourteen years. He was not burned much, but was probably smothered to death. Shortly afterward another body, burned to a crisp, was reached and identified as George Crawford, aged fifteen, and the only support of a widowed mother. The bodies were removed to the morgue to await identification.

The scene at the building was one of perfect wreck and ruin. The walls and roof were an inconceivable mass of debris and wreckage, while a dense smoke was hovering about over head, as if loth to leave the scene of death and ruin. The damage to the building and machinery is

THE LAKE SHORE WRECK.

Six Persons Killed and Fifteen Injured-Pa-

BUFFALO, March 7 .- Owing to the reticence of the railroad authorities it was almost impossible to get details of the accident on the Lake Shore last night. The wreck occurred at Bayview station, ninemiles west of this city. The train was the Chicago express, due here at 9:10 o'clock P. M. The train broke in two on a down grade. The first section went along as usual until the conductor discovered what had happened and pulled the bell cord. It was probably just what most men would have done under similar circumstances; but the act was attended with disastrous consequences. The section came to a standstill and a moment or two later the rear section crashed into it with awful force and velocity and the wreck was completed. The forward sleeper, Salina, telescoped the rear coach of the standing section, killing six people and injuring fifteen others. The cars were piled in all shapes on top of one another, while the Salina was almost completely buried from sight. Those who escaped injury bravely set about helping those less fortunate, while the screams and shricks of many of those in the wreck were enough to make one's blood run cold. There were eleven people in the Salina and one of them. J. Sway, the colored porter, was hurled from the car a distance of thirty-three feet, and instantly killed. All

the rest were more or less injured. The other killed were: JOHN W. GLYNN, of Canton, O., a traveling JOHN T. POWER, of Pittsfield, Mass., merchant, on his way home from Chicago, MR. AND MRS. J. E. STEWART, of Rochester. MRS. JOSEPH BAUCUS, of Saratoga Springs,

At 6 o'clock this morning the railroad people brought the bodies of those killed into the Central depot, where Coroner Tucker, who had been notified and was in waiting, at once took charge of them. Al the bodies, with the exception of Mrs. J. D. Baucus, of Saratoga Springs, were taken to the morgue. That of Mrs. Baucus was taken to an undertaking establishment. She was twenty-three years of age, and her former home was Rome, N. Y. She was married a week ago to-day. All of the bodies were badly mangled. Those of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart, of Rochester, will be sent home. Coroner Tucker will empanel a jury and hold a thorough inquest. The railroad authorities have placed a special train at his disposal to take a jury to the

scene of the wreck. As far as can be learned at this writing the list of those injured and where located is as follows: J. E. Minnick, of Philadel phia, right arm crushed and subsequently amputated at the Fitch Hospital; L. F. Haupt, Buffalo, wrist badly cut; George Allen, Buffalo, sprained tissue of the leg J. D. Baucus, Saratoga Springs, face and New York city, ankle sprained; H. F. New York city, ankle sprained; H. F. Jaeger. Rochester, ankle sprained; O. A. Flewellen, St. John, N. B., left foot injured; Henry B. Ulrich, Rochester, injury to knee; Julius Siegel, New York, injury to left arm; George S. Thompson, Rochester, slight sprain of leg; George E. Martin; Boise City, Idaho, bruised chest; Rev. Johnson Meyers, Cincinnati; cut in head; F. A. Coombs, Philadelphia, aged seventy-eight, head cut; W. H. Fisher, Boston, bruised on chin and leg; Julia Healey, Boston, injury to head, one rib and right arm

ton, injury to head, one rib and right arm fractured; J. C. Armstrong, Rochester, cut in head and neck; Mr. Davis, of Los Angeles, Cal., slightly injured.

One of the saddest incidents of the accident was that which befell Joseph Baucus.